FISH (RAISING & SELLING) / FISHING POND

Checklist

- ☐ If you will breed and sell fish in or for aquariums or ponds, you may need a permit from the **Ohio Department of Natural Resources' Division of Wildlife**. Contact the **Division of Wildlife** at **(800) 945-3543 or (614) 265-6300** for more information or visit them on-line at www.ohiodnr.gov

- ☐ If you will sell fish, you will need a **VENDOR'S LICENSE** from **YOUR COUNTY AUDITOR**.

- ☐ If you have questions about sales tax, contact the **OHIO DEPARTMENT OF TAXATION** at **(888) 405-4039 for Business Tax Assistance; 888-405-4089 for Tax Registration; or (800) 282-1782 for the Forms Request Line**. Information is also on-line at **http://tax.ohio.gov**

- ☐ There is no special license required to operate a fishing pond.

- ☐ If the pond is to be built near a dam, you will need to contact the **Ohio Department of Natural Resources' Division of Water** at **(614) 265-6717** for specific requirements.

- ☐ Contact the **Ohio Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)** for information about the proper disposal of hazardous and solid waste. The EPA can be reached at **(614) 644-3020 for General Inquiries** or **(800) 329-7518** for **Office of Compliance Assistance and Pollution Prevention**. The Ohio EPA is also on-line at www.epa.ohio.gov

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